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LETTER DATED 20 MAY 1991 FROM THE CHARGE D'AFFAIRES A.I. OF THE PERMANENT MISSION OF THE ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Upon instructions from my Government, I have the honour to invite your attention to the latest Iraqi violation of the terms of cease-fire which in fact amounts to an act of aggression by Iraqi forces against the Islamic Republic of Iran resulting in martyrdom of one and injury of ten other Iranians.

On 15 May 1991, at 0500 hours, Iraqi soldiers along with members of an Iranian anti-revolutionary terrorist group, forming an armoured brigade supported by artillery fire carried out an offensive attack against the Islamic Republic of Iran in Tileh Kooh axis up to Hedayat border post north of Ghasr-e-Shirin. Hedayat border post at the GCs of ND 51-27 on the map of Ghasr-e-Shirin was heavily targeted by Iraqi forces. Several other artillery and mortar shells hit Iranian territory in Tileh Kooh axis and Bishegan. As a result of this Iraqi act of aggression one Iranian was martyred and ten others were injured.

It would be highly appreciated if this letter were circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) M. Javad ZARIF
Ambassador
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